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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed 08/07/2006 Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the claims in view of the amendment and remarks set forth below.

## **AMENDMENT**

## In the Claims

The Examiner is respectfully requested to rewrite the claims to read as follows, without prejudice to the filing of future continuing applications.